

## **Opening Bell: Investment Education**

### **American Association of Individual Investors**

http://www.aaii.com/

From the beginning, AAII has answered the question, "Where can you go to get unbiased facts and effective knowledge about investing?" AAII's purpose is to assist individuals in becoming effective managers of their own assets through programs of education, information and research.

# **Better Investing**

http://www.betterinvesting.org/public/default.htm

As the nation's largest non-profit organization dedicated to investment education, we provide investing knowledge and practical investing experience through local investment clubs, local chapters, online courses and an active online community.

#### Big Charts

http://bigcharts.marketwatch.com/

BigCharts is the world's most comprehensive and easy-to-use investment research Web site, providing access to professional-level research tools such as interactive charts, quotes, industry analysis and intraday stock screeners, as well as market news and commentary. These tools combine with a graphical interface and our intuitive navigation to make your research experience productive, entertaining and fun. Best of all, BigCharts is a free service supported entirely by our site sponsors.

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http://www.investorguide.com/

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### **InvestorWords**

http://www.investorwords.com/

InvestorWords is the premier financial glossary on the web, helping millions of individuals understand and keep up-to-date with the terms that they need to know in

order to succeed in today's financial world. This glossary is a great learning tool, as it is comprehensive and easy to navigate. InvestorWords currently has 6,000 definitions, and new terms are added frequently.

### **Motley Fool**

### http://www.fool.com/

Whether it's analyzing the latest earnings reports or helping investors find the next home run stock, the Fool's award-winning website publishes hundreds of articles each week. Fool.com offers news, analysis, and commentary through wide-ranging distribution partnerships with Yahoo!, MSN, AOL, and many others.

### **Securities and Exchange Commission**

http://www.sec.gov/investor.shtml

The SEC's Office of Investor Education and Advocacy provides a variety of services and tools to address the problems and questions you may face as an investor. We cannot tell you what investments to make, but we can help you to invest wisely and avoid fraud.

#### **Wall Street Journal Online**

http://online.wsj.com/home-page

This is an English-language international online daily newspaper published by Dow Jones & Company, a division of News Corporation, in New York City. The *Journal* newspaper primarily covers U.S. and international business and financial news and issues. Much of the content available on the website is however, only for subscribers.

#### **Yahoo Finance**

http://finance.yahoo.com/

This website covers a wide variety of topics including market overview, market statistics, stocks, mutual funds, ETFs, bonds, options, industries, currencies, and education. Check out the education section and you'll find a number of glossaries, a section on investing 101, and more.



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